

Please amend the present application as follows:

Claims

The following is a copy of Applicant's claims that identifies language being added with underlining ("___") and language being deleted with strikethrough ("—"), or brackets ("[[]]"), as is applicable:

1-9. Canceled.

10. (Currently amended) A method for sending, via email, imaging data stored in a personal imaging repository, ~~having an imaging data store for storing the imaging data and a composition store for storing imaging compositions having links to the imaging data serviced as a single unit, located on an imaging client computer operably connected to an email web server providing an email web service,~~ said method comprising:

requesting web content from ~~the~~ an email web service ~~by the imaging~~ using a client computer;

~~responding to the request by supplying~~ receiving email web content ~~to~~ on the imaging client computer ~~by~~ sent from the email web server service;

displaying and executing the email web content ~~by~~ on the imaging client computer; to cause the email web content to automatically ~~accessing selected imaging data images stored in~~ from the personal imaging repository ~~by the email web content~~;

receiving a user selection of images to be emailed to a recipient;

transferring selected ~~imaging data~~ images along with a user configuration to the email server ~~by~~ service with the email web content; and[[,]]

sending the selected imaging data images and the user configuration with an email message to the recipient ~~mail server~~.

11. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 10, ~~wherein prior to said step responding to the request further comprising the steps of:~~

determining whether ~~the~~ a connection with the email web service is successful;
and~~[[,]]~~

returning an error message to the user when the connection with the email web service is not successful.

12. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 10, ~~wherein prior to the step of accessing selected imaging data further comprising the steps of~~
automatically accessing imaging data comprises:

accessing each imaging composition stored in ~~the~~ a composition store to obtain a list of links for all ~~imaging data images~~ in the personal imaging repository;
and

retrieving the ~~imaging data images~~ in a form that can be displayed ~~on~~ in the browser;

~~displaying the retrieved imaging data on the browser; and,~~

~~selecting from the retrieved imaging data by the user.~~

13. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 10, ~~wherein prior to the step of accessing selected imaging data further comprising the step of selecting~~
receiving a send command from with the email web content entered by the user.

14. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 10, further comprising ~~the steps of:~~

~~providing~~ receiving a destination email address ~~by~~ from the user;

~~selecting~~ receiving a send configuration for the selected ~~imaging data by~~
images from the user;

~~providing~~ receiving comments for the email message ~~by~~ from the user; and[[,]]

~~selecting~~ receiving a send command with ~~from~~ the email web content entered
by the user.

15. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 14, ~~wherein said~~
~~step of selecting send from the email web content~~ further comprising ~~the steps of:~~

requesting the selected ~~imaging data~~ images in the desired user configuration
from the an imaging data store ~~by~~ using the email web content; and[[,]]

~~responding with~~ receiving the selected ~~imaging data~~ images in the desired user
configuration ~~by~~ from the ~~composition~~ imaging data store.

16. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 10, wherein ~~the~~
~~step of transferring the selected imaging data images~~ further ~~comprising the steps of~~
comprises:

configuring the selected ~~imaging data~~ images according to a user selection ~~by~~
with the email ~~server~~ service; and[[,]]

composing the email message ~~by~~ with the email ~~server~~ service.

17. (Currently amended) A computer program product comprising a computer usable medium having computer readable program ~~codes~~ code embodied in the medium that when executed causes a computer to:

request web content from the an email web service ~~by the browser~~;

~~respond to the request by supplying~~ receive email web content ~~to~~ from the ~~browser~~ email web service;

display and execute the email web content ~~by the~~ in a browser;

automatically access ~~selected imaging data from~~ images stored in the personal imaging repository ~~by~~ with the email web content;

receive a user selection of images to send;

transfer selected ~~imaging data~~ images along with a user configuration to the email ~~server~~ by service with the email web content; and~~[[,]]~~

send the ~~imaging data~~ selected images and the user configuration with an email message to ~~the~~ a recipient ~~mail server~~.

18. (Newly added) The method according to claim 12, further comprising:

displaying the retrieved images in the browser; and

receiving user selections as to which images to send using the browser.

19. (Newly added) A system for sending imaging data stored in a personal imaging repository, said system comprising:

means for requesting web content from an email web service;

means for receiving email web content sent from the email web service; and

means for executing the email web content to cause the email web content to automatically access images stored in the personal imaging repository without user intervention.

20. (Newly added) The system according to claim 19, wherein the means for automatically accessing imaging data comprise:

means for accessing each imaging composition stored in a composition store to obtain a list of links for all images in the personal imaging repository; and

means for retrieving the images in a form that can be displayed in the browser.

21. (Newly added) The system of claim 19, further comprising:

means for receiving a user selection of images to be emailed to a recipient;

means for transferring selected images along with a user configuration to the email service with the email web content; and

means for sending the selected images and the user configuration with an email message to the recipient.

22. (Newly added) The system according to claim 21, further comprising:

means for receiving a destination email address from the user;

means for receiving a send configuration for the selected images from the user;

means for receiving comments for the email message from the user; and

means for receiving a send command with the email web content entered by the user.

23. (Newly added) The system according to claim 21, further comprising:
means for requesting the selected images in the desired user configuration from an imaging data store using the email web content; and
means for receiving the selected images in the desired user configuration from the imaging data store.

24. (Newly added) The system according to claim 19, wherein the means for requesting web content comprises a browser that executes on the user's computer.

25. (Newly added) The system according to claim 24, wherein the means for receiving email web content comprises the browser.

26. (Newly added) The system according to claim 25, wherein the email web content automatically accesses images stored in the personal imaging repository using an extension component that associates the email web content with the personal image repository.

27. (Newly added) The system according to claim 26, wherein the extension component associates the email web content with a composition store of the personal image repository that comprises links to the images stored in an imaging data store of the personal image repository.

28. (Newly added) The system of claim 27, wherein the imaging data store resides on a computer other than the user's computer.